

SECTION 504 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973: STUDENTS

Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 provides, in pertinent part, that: "No otherwise qualified individual with (disabilities)...shall, solely by reason of his/her (disability), be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of or be subjected to discrimination based upon disability, religion, race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, height, weight, or generally in violation of any State or Federal law prohibiting discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance..."

The Board is committed to providing a free and appropriate public education to each disabled student within its jurisdiction, regardless of the nature or severity of the student's disability. Qualified students with disabilities under Section 504 shall be identified, evaluated and provided with appropriate education services.

34 C.F.R. 104 et seq.
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